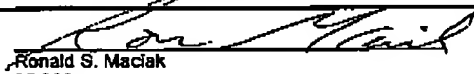
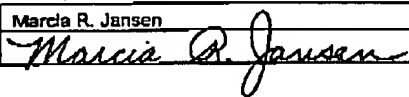


REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL		Application No. 09/358,321	
		Filing Date 07/21/1999	
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1. Submission required under 37 CFR §1.114			
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i. <input type="checkbox"/> Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR §1.116 previously filed on _____ (any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered)			
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ii. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three month extension of time fee of \$950.00 (37 CFR §§ 1.136 and 1.17)			
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a. For prior application

Application No: 09/358,321

Filing Date: 07/21/1999

Title: ANTIBODY-MEDIATED DOWN-REGULATION OF PLANT PROTEINS

Attorney Docket No: 50,447

First Named Inventor: Kittiri Sukhapinda

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